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THIRTIETH YEAR

THE CARLSBAD CURRENT, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1922.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The seniors were busy at a meeting on Thursday P. M. of last week for the purpose of electing their Annual Staff, which is as follows:

Editor-in-chief, Georgiana Galtion; assistant, John Armstrong; business manager, Ida Pearl Morris; assistant, Francis Perry; literary editor, Mary Frances Joyce; assistant, Eleanor Flowers; society editor, Lola Caviness; assistant, Cloetitia Brown; art editor, Katherine Simmons; assistant, Leona Brockman; joke editor, Carl Loveless; assistant, Ruth Farrell; athletic editor, Allen Hardy; assistant, Mary Thayer; snap shot editor, Pearl Butcher; assistant, Novella Dawson; calendar editor, Erminia Grandi; assistant, Eunice Herring.

Tuesday morning of this week, the Honor Club for 1922-23 was reorganized, thirteen members being present. The following officers were elected: President, Lola Caviness; vice-president, Josephine Williams; secretary and treasurer, Georgiana Galtion; standing committee for the club, Misses Graham and Cooper, and Mesdames Schuman and Campbell.

The enrollment has increased this week. We are glad to know that Sina McCall is back in her accustomed place, after several weeks' battle with fever.

Clyde Donaldson, one of the Junior boys, has been operated upon for appendicitis and his classmates are hoping for his early recovery.

We learn with much regret of our ex-teacher, Miss Bess J. Chaney, being at Mayo Brothers where she recently underwent a major operation. Latest reports are that she is recovering nicely much to the joy of all who know and love her.

The first meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held this evening. The election of officers for the ensuing year consumed the first part of the meeting and was followed by a short but very enjoyable program, after which an informal reception was jointly given by the school board and Parent-Teachers Association of the teachers that they might become acquainted with parents and friends. Refreshments of brick ice cream and macaroons were served and a very enjoyable time spent.

Beginning next week there will be formal chapel for the student body.

Mrs. Lousett, county nurse, will give an address to the student body Thursday at the ten o'clock assembly.

Supt. Geo. M. Brinton, whose health has been considerably impaired for the past three months due to close application to the duties of his office, left on Thursday evening, September 14th, for a month or six weeks' outing and hunting trip into the Oregon mountains with a party of old friends. This trip is upon the advice of Mr. Brinton's physician who has recommended very active out-door recreation where there is an abundance of pure soft mountain water to be had for drinking purposes; and the Oregon mountains, the old fishing and hunting grounds of Mr. Brinton for years before he located in New Mexico, was selected as the place to endeavor to regain his broken health.

Mr. Brinton departed well equipped with fishing and hunting outfit, camera and plates for out-door pictures, and the several sporting magazines for which he has been writing now and then as time has permitted, may expect a new series of hunting yarns. During Mr. Brinton's absence, Mrs. Brinton will look after the duties of the office. Mr. Brinton has spent his entire time since the opening of school in visitation and getting them in good shape, so that he could take a few weeks' leave of absence.

Emmett Barrows left Monday morning for points in Arizona, expecting to remain in that state for the future.

HOPE CASHIER'S DISAPPEARANCE PRECEDED CLOSE

Official of Bank Believed to Have Gone by Airplane; Amount of Deficit Undetermined

Hope, N. M., Sept. 18.—S. S. Ward, of Artesia, president of the First National bank of Hope, today confirmed the report that Hugh M. Gage, cashier of the bank, has been gone since Tuesday, September 12. The bank closed its doors Saturday, and is in the hands of examiners.

Gage is believed to have left in an airplane. A plane passed over Hope last Monday noon, toward Roswell, and Gage is said to have been seen going in that direction. The plane passed over Hope Tuesday at 2 a. m. going in the opposite direction.

The bank examiner refused to give any statement of the bank's affairs until after the completion of the examination, when President Ward has announced that he will make public a complete statement based on the official's figures.

Mr. Ward confirmed the report that the bank's affairs could not be in worse shape.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATED

The 65th anniversary of the birthday of Mrs. Ashbury Moore was the motif for a gathering of friends in her honor at the Sweet Shop, Tuesday. The affair was sponsored by Mrs. William Hannah, an intimate friend of years, who never tires of doing nice things for people and especially for the honor guest of this occasion.

The lady was persuaded without difficulty to visit the Sweet Shop, and at first thought, imagined she had run on to a party for some one else, and was about to take leave unceremoniously, when explanations were given. A long table was spread, centered with a tall vase of Goldenrod, a beautiful reminder of the honoree's old Ohio home, and pretty dainties at the places emphasized the festive nature of the occasion. Some of Mrs. Hannah's fine cake was served and delicious cherry sundaes, which all enjoyed. A shower of beautiful handkerchiefs was given Mrs. Moore as they sat at the table. The guests were Mesdames Hannah, Hitchcock, Mary E. Thorne, M. L. Davis, H. E. Fisher, Sam Davis, Whitney, Frickett, Slaughter, George Lucas, and Reznier, Forehand, and the guest of honor.

Odd Fellows and Rebekahs to the number of sixty or seventy held a joint picnic at the beach Wednesday night which was very enjoyable as all gatherings of the "Three Links" folk are wont to be. The party went over in cars, all those so unfortunate as not to have a car of their own were taken care of by some more fortunate brother or sister, and no one was left behind. Arriving at the appointed place, the party found that long tables had been spread by the committee, and soon they were laden with all sorts of good things to eat, such as sandwiches, pickles, olives, potato chips, hot sweet potatoes, salads of all kinds, pie and cake in abundance, topped off with delicious coffee. The hour was devoted to eating, no speeches being made, and after supper had been disposed of social conversation occupied the guests until time to return to their respective homes in the city. The entire affair was one of the happiest ever enjoyed by the united fraternities of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs and those unable to be present are to be pitied. The occasion celebrated the founding of the Rebekah degree, which was organized seventy-one years ago and also recognized the birthday of one of the members of that order.

Miss Adele Bujac, daughter of Major and Mrs. Bujac, left Saturday for El Paso, where she will again enter the School for Girls which she attended last year.

Woman Evangelist Baptizes Two Hundred Converts



All ages and colors were represented at the baptizing of 200 converts by Almee McPherson, noted woman evangelist, in the swimming pool at Idora Park, Oakland, Cal. Thousands of people crowded the park to witness this unusual affair. After the ceremonies Mrs. McPherson delivered her final sermon in California and the United States for some time. She is going to Australia for a strenuous campaign.

MARRIED

Miss Verna May Taylor and Raymond Reynolds were united in marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin, at Lovins, Saturday, September 16th, Rev. A. C. Douglas performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Reynolds is the daughter of R. E. Taylor, one of our most highly respected citizens, a prominent stockman and president of the Mohair Growers Association of New Mexico. She graduated with the class of 1918 of Carlsbad high school and attended Normal school at Silver City. Afterward she taught school at different places in the county and is at this time teaching her second year in the Upper Black River school. She has spent most of her life in Eddy county and is a young lady of ambition and noble Christian character, endeavoring herself to all who come within her influence.

The fortunate man is not so well known in Carlsbad, but has lived in the county a year, and is a ranchman, but the many friends of his wife here wish them a long and happy life together.

Mrs. Reynolds has resigned her position as teacher in the school and after another teacher has been chosen the happy young folk will take up their residence on a ranch in the vicinity of the home of her parents. The Current but voices the good wishes of all who know them for a happy home.

A private letter tells of the death at Memphis, Tennessee, of S. J. Butler, who was a resident of Carlsbad for about a year, leaving last spring for the old home. Mr. Butler came here for his health, but like many an other, made the trip too late, although he seemed to improve for a time. Mrs. Butler clerked in the store of Joyce-Fruit walls here, and they have one child, little Genevieve, about nine years old. We understand that later on Mrs. Butler will again come west, this time for the benefit of the daughter, who is not robust. The death of Mr. Butler occurred at the home of his parents at Memphis, last Sunday morning at 2:30 o'clock. The family endeavored themselves to us in many ways while they lived among us, and deep sympathy is felt for the young widow and fatherless daughter.

Mrs. Esther Jones, of Kansas City, who spent last week with her friend, Mrs. J. F. Joyce, in Carlsbad, returned to her home Friday of last week. Mrs. Joyce accompanied her as far as Roswell, and stopped there until Sunday afternoon. While there she had the privilege of attending the annual reception of the D. A. R. at which time Mrs. Oldham Moore, well known in this city for her musical talents, gave a violin number, and Mrs. Marshall Riddick sang. Mrs. Riddick is stopping for a short visit with her parents, en route to California, where Mr. Riddick has been transferred. Miss Garner accompanied Mrs. Joyce to her home in this city for a short stay, leaving for her home in Roswell last night.

We learn through a private letter of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Dillon, at Los Angeles, August 23rd. Mrs. Dillon will be remembered as Miss Isabelle Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lewis, who resided in Carlsbad for a number of years. The baby daughter weighed five pounds and the mother has already taken her to their home at El Centro, in the Imperial Valley. The Current reporter joins a host of other friends who have known and loved the young mother, since her early childhood, in extending best wishes for the parents and their baby.

Mrs. Sadie Cheatem left Monday morning for El Paso, where she intends to spend much of her vacation of two weeks. She will stop at Pecos on her way home and her mother, Mrs. M. B. Wilson, who is visiting there may decide to return with her.

PARK COMMISSION APPOINTED.

The newly appointed board of Park Commissioners, consisting of C. T. Adams, J. R. Yates, and John W. Wells, met in the office of the City Attorney Thursday morning to perfect their organization.

Lots were cast to determine the length of each member's term. The result being that Mr. Adams would have a term of three years, Wells two and Yates one.

The officers were elected as follows: J. R. Yates, president; J. W. Wells, secretary and C. T. Adams treasurer.

Plans for beautifying and improving the parks of the city were discussed and a definite plan outlined, which will be put into execution at the proper season of the year. The immediate improvements necessary will of course be done in the near future.

It is the intention of the commission to make only permanent improvements with all times a view to beautifying the parks. This can and will be easily done, as the city council has made a levy of city taxes for that purpose. The city has four parks: Halagueno, Fireman's, City Well, and the park at the beach east of town. Plans are making to gravel all the walks in Halagueno park, and to have the entire plot plowed and sowed with Bermuda grass. The present hedge of California privet will be trimmed and where missing will be replaced. Where the trees are too thick to thrive, they will be removed and set out in proper places. It is also planned to have a system of lights in Halagueno Park, which will be one of the best features of the proposed improvements. Benches are to be installed, and later flower beds will be made, and perhaps a part of the grounds will be set aside for a playground for the children, with swings, seesaws, and other apparatus usually found in City parks. Some of these improvements will be started immediately while others can not be put into effect until later, but it is thought that all will be accomplished as planned by next spring, and Carlsbad will have one of the nicest parks to be found in a city of its size anywhere. The other parks mentioned will also be improved as rapidly as possible.

The personnel of the Park Board is of the best, Mr. Yates being a civil engineer of prominence, and also an experienced horticulturist, and the other members of the board both being men having the best interests of the city at heart.

The six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Gholson was severely burned about the feet and legs over a week ago, while playing on the railroad track north of town. He was chasing a burro in company with some larger boys and stepped in a pile of cinders dropped by an engine a few minutes previously and which were still hot. The pain so frightened the little fellow, that he became almost frantic and according to the boys who were with him, jumped up and down, and had to be assisted out of the hot cinders. He has been under the care of a physician since the time and is now getting better, but it was a serious burn. The little fellow is a favorite with this office force, where he frequently visits, and we have missed him greatly and only this week learned of the accident.

Rain fell in Carlsbad Monday night and Tuesday morning, to the depth of an inch and three-tenths. The shower was local, no rain falling at McMillan, but good showers south, Lovins and Otis both receiving the benefit of good rains. Some rain also fell in the mountains west and it is thought rain fell east of town the first of the week. Never was a downfall more welcome, and it is up to us as a people to give thanks.

Rev. Joshua Jones, presiding elder, was down from Roswell last Saturday on a business mission.

DEATH OF AN AGED CITIZEN

John Jones, a resident of Carlsbad for eight years and a man about 82 years old, died Wednesday night of disease incident to old age, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jim Dillahunty, in South Carlsbad.

"Grandpa" had been sick for several years, but his last illness was only of eight weeks' duration. He was converted under the ministry of Rev. B. L. Nance, while the latter was assisting in a meeting held here three years ago, and died in the faith of the Gospel.

Besides Mrs. Dillahunty and Wilcox Jones of Wichita Falls, he has two sons and a daughter living, some in Oklahoma and others in Texas, who were unable to attend the funeral. The services were conducted at the grave side in City Cemetery, Rev. Ira Harrison officiating. "Grandpa" was conscious until the very close of life, a short time before his passing calling his wife and asked her to again kneel by his bed and pray, which she did, and his spirit went out on the wings of prayer, to the God whom he had loved and trusted, sympathy and extended the bereaved relative, and especially the aged wife who survives him.

FIRST AUCTION SALE OF SEASON

The first auction sale of the season was held last Wednesday by Auctioneer W. F. Melvill at the H. D. Hubbard place west of this city. A fairly large crowd attended when the time of year is considered, and everything sold unusually fast when financial conditions of the farmers is taken into consideration. Some very fine milk cows were put up and sold from \$55 to \$95 each. One especially good team of large work horses brought only a little over \$200. As is the case at all auctions, some things went at a bargain and others brought all they were worth.

Sam Mosklin received a letter from his father, in Nijni-Novgorod, Russia, this week. The letter was sent from there to the Chief of Police at Roswell, and made inquiry about Sam, saying they had had no word from him since 1917. Mr. Mosklin is at a loss to know the reason no word was received from him as he had frequently written them. The address on the envelope was in Russian and English and it required thirty-five rubles and twenty kopeks for stamps. Mr. Mosklin sent a cablegram the same night he received the letter assuring his parents of his welfare.

Messrs. Reznier and Dillon, Taxpayers, returned Tuesday night from Dayton, where they have been at work on the new Catholic church at that place now under construction. The building is one story over, but will be a nice little church when completed. It is now being plastered and when that is done Messrs. Reznier and Dillon will go up again and put on the finishing touches to the interior. While repairing the edifice, Mr. Reznier routed two swarms of bees, which had taken refuge there and secured about twenty pounds of fine, white honey.

A delightful gathering of old friends at the Dick Hayes home was held last Friday. Mrs. Hayes had prepared a fine dinner in her best style and the ladies so fortunate as to be invited to share it did ample justice to the entire menu. The afternoon was spent in pleasant social conversation about old times all having been residents here for many years with the exception of the hostess. Those present were: Mrs. Sarah Crawford, Mrs. Mary E. Thorne, Mrs. Ashbury Moore, Miss Kate English and the hostess, Mrs. Hayes.

Hilary Boyd and wife started Sunday morning in a car for points in Arizona, and will likely locate in or near Mesa, that state. Mrs. Boyd's parents having settled there and other members of the family making their home in the vicinity.

48 DEAD WERE FOUND IN WORKINGS OF ARGONAUT MINE TUESDAY MORNING

Jackson, Calif., Sept. 19.—Forty-seven men died in the Argonaut mine early on the morning of August 28. It was learned last night and today, and the task is under way of bringing their bodies from the rock tunnels walled in with flimsy bulkheads of their own construction, which had been their tomb for three weeks.

The rescuers first explored the main levels of the Argonaut after breaking through from the Kennedy yesterday morning. It was not until they turned their attention to the cross cuts and drifts leading from the tunnels did they find bulkheads that had not been there before the fire. Further on they found a second bulkhead, pitifully constructed. Before those above even heard of the bulkhead, word came to them that forty-two bodies had been found and counted. Not long afterward five more were found.

Jackson took comfort in the knowledge that a quick and merciful death came to the miners. Records scrawled on a fragment of paper by one man and scratched on a timber by another showed that they lived but a little over three hours after erecting the barricade. Sadder of all was the mute record of the bare beginning of the third barricade when the gas had driven them from the scene of the second.

Identification will be difficult. The length of time since they died, the lack of clothing, which was torn off to stuff into the cracks of the first bulkhead combined to remove from most of the bodies any distinguishing characteristics.

The Red Cross has received a fund of \$5,000 for the miners' dependents. In those cases where a miner left a widow and child, the state compensation fund will pay an average of approximately \$4,200, as the Argonaut company had insured all of their employees, according to the California law.

It will be late today before all the bodies are removed, and the scenes around the mine mouth are pitiful.

LOSSES IN HOPE BANK MORE THAN \$100,000.00 SAYS PRESIDENT WARD.

Artesia, N. M., Sept. 21.—S. S. Ward, president of the First National Bank of Hope, N. M., who returned home here today after investigating the affairs of the bank at Hope, which closed last Thursday, following the disappearance of the cashier, Hugh M. Gage, said that more than \$100,000, or practically all of the bank's cash and securities are missing. He said that only \$108 had been found in the bank.

So far there is no clue to the whereabouts of Gage, but he is thought to have gone to Mexico.

HAY TRADE CONDITIONS OF THE WEEK

Markets this week are weak generally, but lights receipts have strengthened prices in a few markets. There is a fair demand at steady prices for the best grades, but heavy mixtures and low quality hay is very slow sale and moves at irregular prices, often at concession from quoted values.—Hay Trade Journal.

A rather gruesome exhibit was seen in the window of the express office the first of the week. It consisted of a diamond back rattler, some ten feet long, coiled in a very life-like manner, with eight rattles and a button intact. The reptile had been killed by some one near one of the small stations between Carlsbad and Pecos, and the skin sent to Kansas City to be mounted. The snake weighed about thirty pounds, and was being returned to the owner. Just what possible use could be made of such a thing or why any one would want to have it about as a mystery.

The opening of fall fruits and cloaks and hats at the store at Joyce-Fruit company on Wednesday was attended by a large crowd of interested ladies. The millinery department, where the opening was held, was given quite a festive air by decorations of autumn leaves which twined the pillars and covered the electric light globes and the ladies who were in charge and on their prettiest gowns and smiles for their guests. Long stemmed American beauty roses were given as souvenirs to all who called.

In the health crusade which is planned in all parts of the state, the health of the child is to be the major part of the program. This was decided at the meeting of the State Tuberculosis Association at Albuquerque Monday morning. At the meeting held at that time a committee of executives from the various counties were appointed. Mrs. Clarence Bell being chosen to serve in that capacity from this county.

A delightful afternoon was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bates, south of town, Thursday afternoon, the inspiration for the gathering being the social service meeting of the Methodist people. A program of much excellence was given and enjoyed as well as the delightful refreshments prepared for the guests. Thirty-five were present.

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possible. There is Republican organization to be maintained. This has cost taxpayers of the state vast sums of money, has made the present tax rate one that discourages new residents coming into the state. Continuance of the Republicans in charge of the state government simply means the present extravagance would go on. With the election of Mr. Hinkle, business policies would be introduced in Santa Fe without the handicap of having a multitude of party friends to be helped out with taxpayers' money.

Messrs. Dick Bynum and Davis, his brother-in-law, arrived Sunday from Ballinger, Texas, bringing with them eight head of horses and coming overland. The wife of Mr. Bynum and the family of his father, will arrive later in the city and will make their home here. Dick and wife will probably go to Lovina to live that being more nearly in the center of the cotton farms.

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"HOT AND DRY" USUAL REPORT ON WEEK'S WEATHER; RANGE IN STATE GENERALLY POOR

(Weather and Crop conditions in New Mexico for the week ending September 12th, 1922.)

The week was mostly hot and dry, although closing colder, with light frost in a few of the higher northern mountain districts on the morning of the 10th. Scattered showers occurred, but were mostly light and insufficient. Little or no benefit occurred to ranges, crops, water holes or stock. Ranges are generally poor, although somewhat improved in the mountain areas, but at so late a period that little or no winter range can be expected from these districts, and the shipment of stock to outside range goes on. Stock remains fair to poor, but with a small portion in good condition. Harvest continues; corn, kafir, sorghums being largely cut for fodder purposes. The third cutting of alfalfa is well along in northern districts, and the fourth is completed in southern. Some small patches of oats and spring wheat are still being harvested in the mountain valleys, growth is short, and stand rather thin. Picking and shipping of apples is well under way in the lower Pecos, and marketing of pears, peaches, grapes and tomatoes continues in northern districts. Cotton picking is becoming more general, and some ginning has been done.

Blackrock: Weather partly cloudy and cooler with some light showers. Spring wheat harvest well under way, and the third cutting of alfalfa started. Corn looks excellent.

Springer: Considerable rain has fallen in this part of the state, helping late crops and the range, water

HOME AND SCHOOL MEETING THIS AFTERNOON

The first meeting of the Home and School Association for the present school year is being held this afternoon at the High School Auditorium. The meetings begin at 3:15 and will consist of a business session at which officers will be elected for the Association, the old officers time expiring today. After the short business session has been concluded, the following program will be given and refreshments will be served. It is very desirable that all parents who can be present at this time in order that they may meet and welcome the new teachers.

Program:
Song, "America."
Invocation, Rev. Lowry.
Piano Solo, Miss Jennie Linn.
Address of Welcome, Mrs. J. W. Armstrong.
Response, Miss Rosa Engelking.
Short Talk, Rev. A. C. Douglas.
Vocal Solo, Miss West.
Social Hour.

Swearing in the presence of children is a reprehensible habit which reacts as a boomerang to the man who does it. A child respects its parents and others for what it finds them to be. It judges them from their acts as it sees and hears them. When a mother teaches a child that swearing is wrong, what must the child think of the father who rips out an oath when something goes wrong? Control your cursing—or don't curse.

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holes and stock, and generally freshening things up.

Roswell: The week was hot and dry but closed with light showers and cooler weather—showers too light locally to do any good. Ranges continue poor, but improved in some of the mountain districts westward where good showers have occurred. Light showers also fell eastward, but not sufficient to benefit ranges. Livestock is being shipped out. Crops generally good. Picking and shipping of apples well under way.

Hagerman: Hot weather continues, light showers at the close of the week. Crops in good condition. Rains not desired for cotton.

Lon: Crops and pastures are poor. Weather hot and dry the entire week. Farmers are cutting corn and other crops for fodder. Very little grain this year.

Tres Piedras: Range poor, stock fairly good. Light frost over the mountains.

Chimayo: The weather has been very warm. Stock is suffering for the want of grass—range exceedingly poor.

Bland: Hot, dry weather. Crops poor, little to harvest. Feed for cattle and horses is very poor.

El Paso: The week was hot, with light scattered showers, but rainfall not sufficient to relieve the drought in this vicinity. Ranges poor and cattle small and thin. Fourth cutting of alfalfa completed. Picking cotton, and marketing grapes and sweet potatoes continues. Elberta peaches are coming in from the Mesilla valley.

East Las Vegas: Practically no crops over the eastern mesa, even the Russian thistle failed entirely; it has always grown in former dry years, and was used as a hay crop.

CHARLES E. LINNEY,
Meteorologist.
Weather Bureau Office,
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

MONSTER RATTLESNAKE KILLED BY ROSWELL GIRL; OVER SIX FEET LONG

Roswell, Sept. 15.—One of the largest rattlesnakes ever seen in this part of the state was killed this week on the McPherson ranch, west of the city, by Miss Josie McPherson who shot the reptile with a pistol. The snake measured six feet and five inches long and was 12 inches in circumference at the largest part of its body. Miss McPherson was on the porch of her home and the snake came from under the house. She secured the pistol and killed the snake with a shot through the head.

We whoop it up for our particular candidate until we elect him to public office. As long as he follows our advice he is O. K. When he develops a mind of his own, or listens to the advice of others, he is N. G. Isn't that about the size of it?

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NEW MEXICO ANNUAL CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN PECOS

The Churches of Pecos are now making preparations to entertain the visitors of the Methodist Episcopal church which will meet in Pecos on the fourth of October. This conference is composed of the entire State of New Mexico and this portion of West Texas and as far east on the Texas & Pacific railway as Odessa. It is estimated that about 100 to 125 preachers besides laymen and visitors will be in attendance. The conference will continue throughout the balance of the week and will be presided over by Bishop Dickey, who was made a Bishop at the last general conference which met at Little Rock, Arkansas.

Practically all the Methodist ministers of New Mexico and this portion of West Texas will be in attendance and it will more than likely be the largest gathering of talent ever to visit our city at one time. It is a distinct honor to Pecos to have this gathering of ministers with us and, as is the custom of Pecos and Pecos people they will have at their every command the very best we have. Houses are now being secured for these visitors and preparations are being made to sup-

ply the desires of the inner man.—Pecos Enterprise.

Don't let your child "blow in" its first nickel. To do so is to give it its first lesson in extravagance. Give it five pennies. Let it spend one or two for candy and SAVE THE REST. That will be its first lesson in economy. From the cradle to the grave is now great tax upon the memory of a normal human mind.

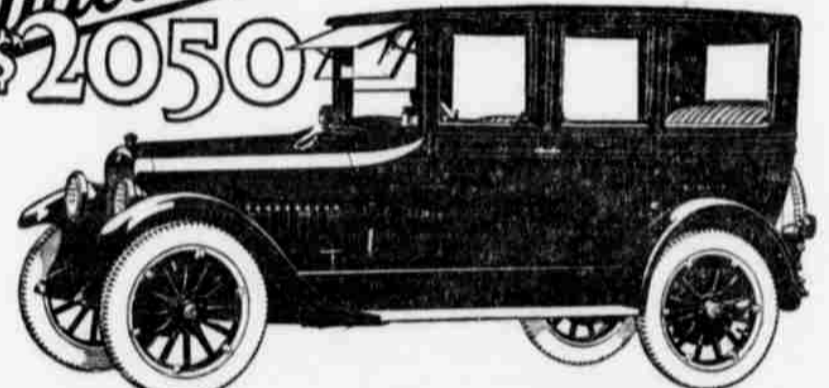


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The market does not offer a more beautiful enclosed body. Certainly none is built of better materials and finer workmanship. It is a striking example of the handicraft of Studebaker artisans.

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LIGHT-SIX		SPECIAL-SIX		BIG-SIX	
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Touring.....	\$ 975	Touring.....	\$1275	Touring.....	\$1650
Roadster (3-Pass.).....	975	Roadster (2-Pass.).....	1250	Speedster (4-Pass.).....	1785
Coupe-Roadster (2-Pass.).....	1225	Roadster (4-Pass.).....	1275	Coupe (4-Pass.).....	2275
Sedan.....	1550	Coupe (4-Pass.).....	1875	Sedan.....	2475
		Sedan.....	2050	Sedan (Special).....	2650

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THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR

NOTICE OF MASS MEETING AND CONVENTION

TO BE HELD BY THE

Independent Voters of Eddy County

AT CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1922, AT THE HOUR OF TWO O'CLOCK P. M.

WHEREAS, the Democratic party has been the only party to place a ticket before the people of Eddy County, thereby compelling voters of all parties to select as County Officers the choice of the conventions held by the Democratic Party.

AND WHEREAS, a large number and perhaps a majority of the voters of Eddy County feel that they have not been properly treated,

AND WHEREAS, the methods employed by certain of their representatives in holding the 1922 convention have been irregular and undemocratic.

AND WHEREAS, it is apparent that the general sentiment of the voters of Eddy County is that such evils should be corrected for the general good of the people and taxpayers of Eddy County:

AND WHEREAS, rumors and evidences of the following irregularities have been current throughout the County of Eddy with reference to the last Primary Election, which irregularities could not be corrected at law for the reason that there was no law in this state governing such Primary Election:

FIRST, That Mr. S. D. Stennis, Jr., as Chairman of the Democratic County Central Committee, having the authority entrusted to him by the people, has by virtue of such authority, appointed in certain instances, judges who were vitally interested in the outcome of such primary election, and who through their interest favored certain candidates in preference to others.

SECOND, That said County Chairman, without notice to the voters, caused typewritten ballots for County Committeemen to be distributed by judges and clerks appointed by him so that they were cast for the names so typewritten by certain only of the voters attending the Primary, thereby perpetuating himself and others for another term as Chairman and committeemen of the Democratic party. No general ballots were offered to or distributed to the voters for this purpose.

We do not wish to convey the idea that some good committeemen and women were not selected by them, but inasmuch as the chairman holds his office by appointment of such committee as a whole, we believe the voters of this county should be allowed to make the selections and that it may not be too late to correct this irregularity yet.

THIRD, That prior to the so-called election of the new Committee a contest was filed by the late George W. Batton as one of the candidates for sheriff, wherein he requested a recount of the ballots themselves in view of the fact that only five votes were claimed as a majority by his opponent who was declared elected. In this protest many irregularities were set up to the committee and under the rules promulgated by this same committee a recount was guaranteed upon the request of the candidate.

The rule was violated by the committee and a recount denied.

FOURTH, That the people generally did not know that in order for the nominees of this primary held without authority of law that the nominees had to be confirmed by a delegate convention to be held later. When this convention was held it would have been possible for the people to have sent their own delegates there and to have corrected the evils of the primary, but the following procedure was had in Precinct No. 1—Carlsbad—which is the largest voting precinct in the county and the home of Mr. Stennis, the chairman of the County Committee: A meeting was called for the precinct convention on a Friday night at 7:30, and the notice of such meeting was published for the first time in the Friday afternoon paper which goes to the Post Office at about 5:00 P. M. on the same day of the meeting; That a few posters were found upon the street during the afternoon of the same day, but that no general distribution was made to the public; That the notice was so short that only a few people knew anything about this meeting; That said meeting when held was not representative of the people as a whole; That few people in Carlsbad knew it and the country people were not notified. That upon the same Friday, notice of the County Convention, where the candidates for office were really nominated by delegates selected at the foregoing precinct convention and others held over the county, was published in the same newspapers, and as a result the voters had no real notice of either the precinct convention or the county convention, where the men were designated to handle their taxes and county business for the next two years.

These delegates selected, not by the people, but by a chosen few, without notice to the people excepting as above set forth not only assumed the responsibility of confirming your county officers, but assumed the responsibility of voicing the sentiment of the people for a United States Senator and a Congressman from the State of New Mexico together with all state officers.

In as much as there was many days before the State convention plenty of time existed to inform the people of this important meeting instead of only giving a few hours notice except to a favored few, and to the majority of the people no notice at all. We do not intend to convey any idea that good people were not sent to the State Convention, but we do believe that Mr. Stennis and his advisors, if he has any, should treat the people fairly by recognizing this as a people's government and allowing them to govern themselves as the law provides.

FIFTH, That in the purported primary held under the auspices of Mr. Stennis and his committee an attempt to tie the hands of voters in this county by way of putting a pledge on the same paper with the ballot.

That in as much as said primary was irregularly held and the committee has broken its own pledge to the people by not granting the request to recount the ballots themselves, we hold that no voter is in any sense bound by such procedure, and that every man or woman is free to vote as he or she pleases in the coming election.

For the reasons set forth, a committee has held meeting and completed plans for the putting into the field a ticket in Eddy County which will be nominated by the independent voters of all parties.

We realize that one person's business is his own, but that the people's business is a matter of public concern, we believe that the people should be given an opportunity of getting together and nominating their own public servants, instead of having a few self constituted bosses get together and telling the people who shall or shall not represent them in public office.

In furtherance of this attempt to correct existing conditions in Eddy County a meeting is hereby called to convene at the Court House in the City of Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, for the purpose of nominating candidates upon an independent ticket to be voted upon at the ensuing general election, or so many candidates upon such ticket as may be deemed proper and wise by said meeting, and for the transaction of any other business coming before said meeting, including permanent organization.

Said meeting will be held on Monday, October 2, 1922, and Republican and Democrat alike are invited to attend, and all precincts of the county are requested to be present at the Court House in Carlsbad, at 2:00 o'clock P. M.

INDEPENDENT VOTERS COMMITTEE

OF EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Selecting what the Boys and Girls need for School Wear will be greatly simplified here.

Terms Cash - The Lowest Price - One Price to all

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THE CARLSBAD STORE
Distinguished for its uniformly good service to all who enter.



Dresses of Quality Style and Rare Beauty.

It's all in the line. When it comes to smart frocks for street wear, afternoon functions and general wear, special attention is directed to the new dresses disclosing the season's smartest features in the draped skirts, side panel effects and elaborate sleeve treatment. Attractive models are evolved from the newest fabrics. The range of prices is from

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You will be impressed not only with the beauty and style of various garments, but also the completeness of our stock and attractively low prices.

Satisfactory Wearing Qualities in every garment and every piece of merchandise we sell, backed up by our Money Back Guarantee, AND YOU ARE THE JUDGE.

NEW FALL SKIRTS

Extensive new lines are now being shown, comprising all the latest style features developed from such new fabrics as plaid, eponge, Roman stripes, prunella cloth, basket weaves, serges and tricotines. Striking and attractive models priced at

\$4.95 to \$11.95

Fall Offers, Wonderful Suits.

Never have fashion's dictations been more carefully or successfully carried out than they are in these suits. Excellent workmanship, rich fabrics, trimmed in Fox, Squirrel, Mole, braid and button trimmings.

\$22.50 to \$79.00

PETTIBOCKERS

New Silk Jersey Pettibockers. Colors: Taupe, Green, Navy, Rose, Copen. The prices are

\$3.00 to \$3.75

COMFORTABLE CORDUROY LOUNGING ROBES

New lounging robes made of good quality corduroy in most becoming models. Brocaded and plain weaves. American Beauty, Rose, Copen and Navy. Prices Each

\$4.50 to \$6.50

LUXURIOUS WRAPPY COATS

You will like these handsome Coats, and it is well to make your selection now while assortments are complete. There is an admirable choice at whatever price you care to pay, and every quality can be depended upon, regardless of the price you pay. They are

\$19.95 to \$69.50



NEW OUTING, 18c

In a Good, Heavy Quality. Fancy and dark patterns, also solid dark colors, white and blue light stripes and checks are also in this collection.

At a Yard, 18c

New 32-inch Gingham, 29c

A Real Gingham in the new plaids, checks, and solid colors. Will make up in very pretty garments for fall wear.

At a Yard, 29c.

36-inch Cotton Challies, 20c

In all new and fancy patterns in a good assortment of shades for Comforts and Kimonos. Time now to be sewing for fall. Make your selections early.

At a Yard, 20c.

NEW TABLE DAMASK \$1.50

Something New for the Breakfast room, a beautiful quality with wide borders and pretty designs of Rose and Blue. 72 inches wide.

At a Yard, \$1.50.



Fashion Park and Classmate Clothes

FRESH FROM THE TAILOR SHOPS

Above the level of ordinary good values. It's a good time to look for yours. You're sure to like the Par-Kerry ideas from Fashion Park.

You can't save money by paying too little—and you can waste money by paying too much. Our prices are

\$19.75 to \$49.50

GIRLS SWEATERS

Every School Girl needs an extra wrap, and a Sweater is what most of them prefer.

We have them in all wool. Plain and fancy stitches, slip-over, Tuxedo and coat styles. All colors.

\$3.50 to \$8.95



Ladies Glove Silk Hosiery

Yes—Wonderful are the Values. Plain black with fancy colored tops as well as fancy lace stripes with Pointex heels. See them.

Plain Colors

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Fancy Lace with Pointex heels

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Quality Shows In Buster Brown Hose

Boys and Girls Serviceable school hose. Double knee, heel and toes. At a pair

35c and 50c



RED GOOSE SCHOOL SHOES

Serviceable, Comfortable, School Shoes. The kind that will stand the wear and tear of the husky Boys and Girls. All Leather and all sizes.

THE HOME BEAUTIFUL

Autumn in the home is quite as eventful as autumn in the wardrobe. Your home rejuvenating plans will find many cheery aids in our drapery department.

Everything in cozy new draperies to give the home a real home atmosphere.

THE CHOICE OF EXPERIENCE

The Woolwear TWO Economy PANTS SUITS

That extra pair renews the life of the suit. The value which characterizes Woolwear is completely without precedent among other makes of boys clothes. We feature Woolwear because we know we are giving you the most for your money. A generous assortment here for your inspection.

Bath Towels 50c

Extra values in towels. Great, big, thirsty, good heavy towels, woven borders. Special at

Each 50c.



The More Money You Spend At Our Store, the More You Save.

It's the Little Things that make this a Big Dry Goods Store. "The Results" are Happy Smiles and Big Bundles.

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GIBSON BROTHERS

There will be morning worship Sunday at the Presbyterian church, and the sermon will have to do with "The Career of Christ." Church school will meet at ten o'clock, and Christian Endeavor society at six-forty-five. Communion is announced for the Sunday following.

A display case is being installed in the front window of the Carlsbad Light & Power Company's office, which will better display their electrical appliances which they have on sale. Contractor Rohmer is doing the work, which guarantees it.

The force at the local postoffice is somewhat overworked this week, Albert Ramus taking his vacation and Homer Calar being detained at his home by sickness, makes it rather hard on the other members of the force.

Edgar Williams, wife and children, are in town this week, coming from their ranch home near Lovington, and remaining for the treatment of the baby daughter, who has not been doing as well as was desired.

Charley Ward, wife and son, were in town Wednesday from their ranch on Rocky Arroyo, and say the last rain did not visit their section at all, though it is very badly needed.

Ed Burleson was in town yesterday from his ranch home west of town. He tells of beneficial rains which fell in his section of the country Tuesday night. More than that Mr. Burleson speaks of the fact that the weather continues cloudy, thus favoring the grass roots and says the stockmen are greatly benefited by the present condition of the weather.

Rev. Dorsey Newborn returned Monday afternoon from an over Sunday visit to Roswell. The new church building being erected for the Mexican Methodist people is getting along nicely, under his supervision, and before winter these people will have a church building of their own.

B. B. Polk is gathering his steers together this week preparatory to placing some of them on the Harkey place south of town, and others on the W. C. Cotton ranch southeast of the San Simon ranch. About fifteen hundred in all will be moved.

Mrs. O. W. Taylor came in from her home at Macon, Georgia, last week and will spend the winter in Carlsbad. Mrs. Taylor is the mother of Miss Elizabeth Taylor, and resided here for about a year, only returning to Georgia for the summer months.

Dr. M. B. Culpepper and J. R. Yates were business visitors to Artesia Monday, returning the same day. Albert Wallis, postmaster at Dayton and brother of Mrs. Culpepper, who had been spending a week at their home in this city, accompanied the couple on their trip as far as his home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bloxham, the gentleman a cotton buyer from Ballinger, Texas, are at the Palace hotel. They were here last year at this time and spent some time in the valley.

WANT ADS

I want to buy your chickens, and will pay fifteen cents per pound. E. L. TINNIN.

FOR RENT—A four room cottage on Main street, with barn and garage. House in good repair, and close in. Phone 43 L, or inquire this office.

WANTED—Clean, cotton rags, at the Current Office. We pay 4c per pound.

For that dainty finish to your garments have them hemstitched or pickered. Annie V. Morrison, Phone No. 210.

FOR RENT—Three room cottage to permanent renter for \$10 per mo. Water and lights half price. GUARANTY ABSTRACT & TITLE COMPANY. Phone 292. 1tp

SAVE YOUR CALVES
Solid Blackleg Vaccine insures uniform dosage as well as immunity for life against blackleg.
W. H. MERCHANT,
Agent for Eddy County.

FOR RENT—Two rooms and screened porch unfurnished. Apply 1tp 209 MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—Good second hand Dodge car in A1 condition, for sale cheap, see.
MRS. C. W. MAHAFFEY.

FOR RENT—Furnished room (six windows) close in. Inquire MRS. L. S. MYERS. Phone 281. 1tp

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF OF EDDY COUNTY.

I hereby authorize my name to be placed before the voters of Eddy county, New Mexico, at the general election as a candidate for the office of sheriff on the Independent ticket. Your vote and support will be highly appreciated.

J. R. BOYD.
Carlsbad, New Mexico.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A Haynes 6, model 37, in first class condition, newly painted.
3tp GEO. R. SPENCER.

Connecting rooms for light house-keeping. Also single rooms, by day, week or month. Mrs. Maggie Reed, METROPOLITAN HOTEL, 1tp Telephone 258.

WANTED—Second hand furniture, saddles, harness and all kinds of second hand goods.
SAM MOSKIN.
Phone 64. 125Aug10Nov.

If you are getting a loan from the Federal Land Bank, the Guaranty Abstract and Title Co. know their requirements and can save you time and money on your abstract. 2Junett

6 per cent LOANS may be secured for any purpose on farm lands, irrigated lands, to buy or build homes, city or farm, under our first mortgage certificates. Bankers Reserve Deposit Company, Gas & Electric Bldg., Denver, Colo.

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All Wool Fabrics, guaranteed not to fade or shrink. Guaranteed to give lasting Satisfaction and Service. Tailored to fit your own individual desires. They out-wear two or three cheaply put together suits; not lowest in price in the beginning, but they are lowest priced in the end. Priced lower than any other Quality line.

Let us take your measure for a fine Suit or Overcoat. We also make Men Tailored Coats for Women, of same materials and designs as men's coats.

Clothes Renovated at Lowest Prices for Good Work
Altering, Repairing, Cleaning and Pressing
at Reasonable Charges.

Jacob J. Smith

THE TAILOR

Attractions at Crawford Theatre NEXT WEEK

MON.—

Pola Negri In
"THE DEVIL'S PAWN"
A Paramount Special

TUES.—

NORMA TALMADGE
In
"The Wonderful Thing"

WED.—

Laugh With Her — Cry With Her
Through This Wonderful Story

THUR.—

Bert Lytell
In
"THE RIGHT OF WAY"

FRI.—

"THE GOOD-BAD WIFE"
and
"MIRACLES OF THE JUNGLE"
No. 7.

SAT.—

Agnes Ayres
In
"THE ORDEAL"

L. N. Hoag came up from his home at Malaga yesterday to meet Mrs. Hoag who returned in the afternoon from a month's visit to their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Jones, at Mesa, this state.

LOCAL NEWS.

Hollis G. Watson, of Hope, was down from there yesterday on a business mission.

Fred Nymeyer came in from his ranch near Eunice yesterday for a couple of days' stay in the city.

The Baptist ladies announce their annual Christmas sale and bazaar to be held December 2nd. Fuller announcements will be made later.

The regular luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce will be held next Thursday, September 28th, at the Palace hotel. Make your reservations, if possible.

Albert Ramuz, assistant postmaster, is expected to return this afternoon from a trip to Los Angeles where his father is living and where he also has other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wigton are in the city from their home in New Orleans, La., visiting Mrs. Wigton's mother, Mrs. M. B. Higgins. They are on their way to Los Angeles.

Mrs. Peter Lowenbruck is expected to arrive in Carlsbad tomorrow from her home in Los Angeles, being called here by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. A. C. Geer, whose condition remains unchanged.

The Baptist people have a reception for their new minister, Rev. Ira Harrison, and wife, this evening at the church parlors. The meeting is purely social and all members are requested to attend and enjoy a social hour and meet the newcomers who will make their home among us.

James W. Tulk came in yesterday from the ranch on the plains and says it is pretty dry in that section although they have had some local showers. He also says that stock is holding up remarkably well considering everything. We are glad to announce through the Current that J. E. Stephens, whose ranch adjoins the Tulk range and who has been so very ill, is improving some at this time.

The family of J. F. Joyce has been very uneasy for the past week because of the non-arrival of their son, John R., who, in company with his tutor, has been touring Europe. He was expected to arrive a week ago but at the last moment sailed on another vessel from the one he had expected to. The telegram received his parents' anxieties and is given below and is thoroughly characteristic of the boy himself. Note the reference to "Mr. Joyce and the girls." NL, New York, N. Y., Sept. 20, 1922. Mrs. J. F. Joyce, Carlsbad, N. M. "Morning, mother dear. I arrived safely from my wonderful trip, today. Got through customs fine. Met Mr. Statler, got money, and, as I ought to get back, I leave for University tonight. Love to Mr. Joyce and the girls. JOHN R."

Preparations are making for the annual banquet of the Woman's Club, which will be held at the Crawford Hotel, the evening of October 3rd. A committee has the matter in charge, and a fine time is anticipated.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

The following is a correct list of Democratic candidates:
U. S. Senator, Andrieus A. Jones,
E. Las Vegas, N. M.
Congressman, John Morrow, Raton, N. M.
Governor, James F. Hinkle, Roswell, N. M.
Lieut. Governor, Jose A. Baca, Pendergast, N. M.
Justice of Supreme Court, Sam G. Bratton, Clovis, N. M.
Commissioner of Public Lands, Justiniano Baca, Magdalena, N. M.
Member of the State Corporation Commission, Bonifacio Montoya, Bernalillo, N. M.
Secretary of State, Soledad C. Chacon, Albuquerque, N. M.
State Treasurer, John W. Corbin, Estancia, N. M.
State Auditor, Juan N. Vigil, Talpa, N. M.
Attorney General, Milton J. Helmick, Albuquerque, N. M.
Supt. of Public Instruction, Isabel L. Eckles, Silver City, N. M.

COUNTY DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For Sheriff, Roy S. Waller.
For County Clerk, G. W. Shepherd
For County Treasurer, Aud E. Lusk.
For Assessor, Joe Johns.
For Supt. of Schools, Mrs. A. A. Kaiser.
For Surveyor, B. A. Nymeyer.
For County Commissioner District No. 1, C. D. Rickman.
For County Commissioner District No. 2, H. G. Watson.
For County Commissioner, District No. 3, G. R. Howard.

PEOPLE WANT A CHANGE

Santa Fe, N. M.—Virtually four thousand words from its beginning the Republican Platform commends the "efficient and capable business-like administration" of Gov. McChesney.

There hangs the line upon which is hung the present state campaign. Democratic candidates share the view of the cowman, the sheepman, the small home owner—it is time such efficiency ceased and a different type assumed control. Efficiency directed toward building up the state and not a political machine, is New Mexico's need as seen by James F. Hinkle, candidate for governor.

The Roswell banker-stockman, recalling that it recently was necessary for the state's livestock interests to seek a special dispensation from the Republican powers in order to have taxes specially cut to permit that industry to live, is unable to reconcile that situation with "efficient administration."

A similar inability to view seriously the praise for Secretary Fall's "splendid patriotic service" is evident over the state. New Mexico's memory still holds the splendidly patriotic service the secretary performed for an oil interest eager to have the tea-pot done.

The Republican platform and the press of the nation are at a variance on the merits of the tariff bill about which the state G. O. P. whines rhapsodically. What Senator Jones said in condemning the measure is mild to the expressions Republicans and Republican papers are using.

To prove its faith in its own, the Republican Convention resolved that it commends and endorses "the splendid, efficient and patriotic service rendered in the congress of the United States" by Nestor Montoya. Then the convention on its first ballot for a congressional nominee swept Mr. Montoya into the discard with an avalanche of votes for his opponent.

SOLDIERS BONUS BILL PASSED OVER PRESIDENT'S VETO

Washington, Sept. 20.—The house passed the soldier's bonus bill today over President Harding's veto. The vote was 258 to 54, or 59 more than necessary for a two-thirds majority.

J. S. Oliver was a business visitor to Roswell the middle of the week.

Miss Elizabeth Farris is keeping the books at the Shelby Grocery.

J. W. Nichols, the insurance man, is in the city, coming from Roswell this morning.

Mrs. J. L. Mann, who has been visiting her relatives, the Frank Matney family, left Saturday for her home in Pecos.

W. S. Moore, the real estate man of this city, was a visitor to Roswell and the northern part of the valley, the first of the week.

C. W. Shepherd, the automobile man, after a visit to this city on business, left the middle of the week for his home in Roswell.

The jury for the October term of court will be selected Wednesday, the 27th instant. Personal service will be given the jurymen selected.

Mrs. M. J. Faggard, of Portales, is spending some time in the city, having been called here by the serious illness of Grandpa Jones, a brother.

J. B. Goodloe, general passenger and ticket agent for the Santa Fe railroad, was an over night visitor to the city last night, stopping at the Crawford while here.

John W. Armstrong returned Sunday evening from a trip to Santa Fe where he spent several days on legal business. He gives the usual report heard from overland passengers, "dry and dusty."

Concealing your shortcomings only serves to make them more conspicuous when they are found out.

Coal is not money, but it is less plentiful.

WE KEEP IN LINE

Our Prices Of Merchandise Enable Carlsbad Citizens To Keep

—WELL DRESSED—
The Year Around

See our line of Sweaters for Men, Women and Children

SCHOOL SHOE SPECIALS
STAR BRAND SHOES ARE BETTER

SCHOOL CLOTHES FOR CHILDREN

You can't beat the Quality and Price anywhere

BOYS KNEE TROUSERS FOR SCHOOL WEAR
Those wonderful iron-like "moneskin," now down to \$2.75.

SPECIAL PRICES ON MEN'S TWEDE SUITS
Some nifty Styles and Colors.

SPECIAL FOR THE WEEK

36 inch Outing for 30c Per Yard
Wonderful Values — Pretty Patterns

Peoples Mercantile Co.

Where things are new

N. D. Hiller has the building of another house under consideration. He will build it by the side of his residence, he having two lots there, and will have it for rent when completed. There is a demand for rent houses of the better class in this city, and parties building five room and bath, with or without sleeping porch, will have little difficulty in renting same.

Charles Culpepper, who has been spending his vacation with his parents in Carlsbad, returned to his work in the Citizens National Bank at Albuquerque, leaving here Saturday night.

Mrs. John Moore and daughter, Emily, will arrive in the city soon, coming from their home at Tola, Spanish Honduras, and being called here by news of the illness of Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. A. C. Geer, who seems to have but a short time to live.



It's toasted. This one extra process gives a delightful quality that can not be duplicated

Harry Thorne has moved his family to Carlsbad, occupying the C. C. Lewis home on North Canyon street, and the children who are old enough will enter our school. The move is made primarily for the benefit of the health of the youngest child, who is in the care of a Carlsbad physician.

During the recent visit to Carlsbad of Judge C. R. Brice, sentence was passed on Wilbur Eslek, who was convicted of forgery, and sentenced to serve not less than fifteen and not more than three years in the penitentiary. He was taken to that institution by the officers Sunday night.

Mrs. Henry Dickson entertained the neighbor boys and girls Monday night in honor of the birthday of Hugh and Harold Dickson, which occurred on that day. A pleasant time is reported.

Model Market

HOBBS BROS, Props.

Phone No. 345

JUST RECEIVED

FROM CALIFORNIA
LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

HAND DIPPED Chocolates

WITH UNUSUAL CENTERS

The Sweet Shop

This Store Will be Closed

SATURDAY, SEPT. 23

This Store will be closed Saturday, September 23, until 6 P. M. on account of Holiday.

The Boston Store

"Home of Low Prices"

A Wide Divergence

Exits Between What Many People WANT
and What They Actually NEED

This situation clearly marks the difference between extravagance and frugality.
To which class do you belong?

The First National Bank

Capital and Surplus \$200,000.00

"Try Our Service and Be Convinced."

HINKLE OUTLINES POLICIES HE WILL FOLLOW AS GOVERNOR

Without room for the suggestion of a single side-step, James F. Hinkle, Democratic candidate for governor of New Mexico, has taken his stand. That stand is firm, one from which neither he nor the party to which he belongs can move with honor.

In the opening address of his campaign, the candidate flatly declares he will, if elected, give to this state a regime that will bring down taxes, for one thing. It is not new for New Mexico's voters to hear the campaign song of business efficiency in Santa Fe. In fact the song is as old as politics in the state. However, this far it has not joined the popular class so far as its practice is concerned.

There can be no doubt of the sincerity of the Democratic nominee. In his opening address he indulges in no double-in-tender phrases, nor does he attempt to avoid the prime issues confronting the voters of the state. In regard to the state's finances, Mr. Hinkle says:

"I will insist upon expenditures being gauged to the amount of income and the ability the community has to produce that income, rather than upon the wishes of those who are to spend the money."

This concludes Mr. Hinkle's declaration on the budget question:

"There is no citizen more in favor of good schools than I am," declared Mr. Hinkle. Good schools, the candidate asserts, are obtained only with good teachers, which he would provide, adequately paid. But, waste would be eliminated from the school system of New Mexico, according to the nominee's views. This should commend itself to every voter, whether taxpayer or renter.

In conclusion, Mr. Hinkle makes a statement which rings with a forecast of efficiency for New Mexico's government as it eliminates all possibility of the professional office holder becoming identified with the administration.

"If I am elected, I will take over the duties of the office of governor without having promised any man anything other than a conscientious and business administration, and without any strings or obligations other than my duty to the people of the state."

A carrier pigeon appeared at the postoffice of El Paso Gap about a month ago which carried an aluminum band on its leg, on which was engraved "A J 61 P 6467." The pigeon stayed around the store and postoffice for two days. It seemed very weary and exhausted, and at the close of the second day it died in spite of all the care bestowed upon it. Does any one know anything about such a bird?

Charley Culpepper writing from Camp Perry, Ohio, where he is at present with the rifle team, tells his people that they have been having much rain lately so that it has interfered several times with their shooting. He also says that they have had several good swims in Lake Erie since he has been there, but that it does not compare with the "swimmin'" hole in Carlsbad. They will be there at Camp Perry about ten days more before leaving for their homes.

It requires years of correct living to build up an unblemished reputation. Often it takes but a whispered innuendo to destroy it. Yet people who otherwise live an exemplary life will indulge in gossip that starts stories that grow into mountains of scandal that envelop and crush many an innocent person. People who can not curb their tongues should become hermits. They would be missed, but not mourned.

Mr. "I-Pay-As-I-Go"

The "I-pay-as-I-go" individual might wax peevish if informed that the services provided him by the public utility organizations of his community are, in a large part, paid for with other people's money.

"I pay my light and gas bills, don't I? And I don't 'beat' my way on the street car or 'gyp' the telephone company of any revenue. Where do you get that 'other people's money'?" Mr. "I-Pay-As-I-Go" may rightfully ask.

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Sunday School Lesson

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LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 24

REVIEW: THE EXILE AND THE RESTORATION

DEVOTIONAL READING—Ps. 6:1-4

GOLDEN TEXT—The Lord hath done great things for us: whereof we are glad.—Ps. 124:3

PRIMARY TOPIC—Selected Stories Retold.

JUNIOR TOPIC—How God Restored His People.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Leaders in the Restoration of Israel.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Lessons From the Exile and Return.

Two methods of review may be employed to advantage.

1. Character Study. Assign the outstanding heroes of the quarter's lessons to members of the class and have them to report. This assignment must be made the week previous, e. g. Ezekiel, the prophet of God; Daniel, the statesman; Ezra, the teacher of God's word, etc.

2. Summary of Contents. This is a good method at all times. It can be adapted to different grades. The following is a suggested method:

Lesson I. Before Ezekiel was commissioned as a prophet he was given a vision of the Almighty. After that he was given an experimental knowledge of God's word—he ate the book—digested and appropriated its contents. An experimental knowledge of God's word is essential.

Lesson II. Because Daniel brought the Lord he was able to make known the king's dream and interpret it. "If any man lack wisdom, let him ask of God (Jas. 1:5).

Lesson III. While Belshazzar and his lords were engaged in drunken revelry a mysterious hand recorded Divine judgment. There is a day coming when men shall be judged. Happy is the man who has fled to Christ, for to such there is no judgment (John 5:24).

Lesson IV. Daniel's sterling worth brought him to the front—he was elevated to be prime minister of the Persian empire. Moved by jealousy certain wicked men plotted his downfall, because of a flawless record in business they trumped up a charge against him on the ground of his foreign religion. Though the king executed the foolish decree Daniel was delivered and his accusers were cast into the den of lions and destroyed.

Lesson V. Though Israel went into captivity as a chastisement of the Lord, in due time He recovered them. God's covenant and judgments are sure. He can move a heathen king to freely fulfill His own good pleasure and purpose.

Lesson VI. In the restoration of the people to their own land, the first thing necessary was the provision of a place for the worship of God. As soon as this work was begun, violent opposition was in evidence. That which God sets out to do shall be completed, though all hell oppose.

Lesson VII. Haman's wicked plot against the Jews was frustrated by Esther's shrewdness and courage. Those who plot against and hate God's covenant people shall be brought to destruction.

Lesson VIII. Through Zerubbabel the people were brought back and established in their own land, but they had gone far away from God. There was now need of a religious leader. Ezra was moved by the Spirit of God to lead them back to fellowship. Because Ezra sought the Lord his way was prospered. Success always comes to those who trust God.

Lesson IX. When Nehemiah heard of the distress of his brethren at Jerusalem, he took the matter to the Lord in prayer. Their sorrow and distress was his sorrow and distress. Is any afflicted, let him pray (Jas. 5:13).

Lesson X. When Nehemiah began the rebuilding of the walls of Jerusalem he encountered violent opposition from without and from within. His faith in God moved him to go straight on with the work and he had the joy of seeing the work completed.

Lesson XI. The method used in bringing back the people to God was the word of God. Because God's word was made plain to the people they repented of their sins and rendered obedience to God.

Lesson XII. Malachi as an aid to Nehemiah in effecting reformation pointed out the sins of the people, viz: Base ingratitude, a corrupt priesthood, mixed marriages, robbing God by withholding tithes, etc., pointing to a day of judgment when righteous retribution would be meted out to the wicked and rewards would be given to the faithful.

Beginning the Day.
If any man will come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. For whosoever will save his life shall lose it and whosoever will lose his life for My sake shall find it.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Luther and Fancher, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bell, left this week for Palo Alto, California, where they will enter the Leland Stanford University, this being their second year at that school.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moskin spent Sunday with relatives in Roswell, and on their return were accompanied by their daughter, little Jane, who had been spending some time at the home of her grandparents near that city. Sam had had luck on the way home, and broke a spindle on his car.

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A RECORD HATCH

Ray Hawkins broke all records Tuesday morning for hatching chickens. Only a few days ago Ray bought some fresh (?) eggs, and found some of them of questionable lineage. He placed these in a bucket where the sun beat on them and Tuesday morning a little buff chicken picked its way out of the shell and demanded to be taken to the Brand office for inspection. Mr. Hawkins is ready to reimburse the man who sold him the chick so near ready to hatch. Surely Hereford is destined to be a great poultry center.—Hereford Brand.

The marriage of F. L. Perry and Miss Zane Johnson took place last Saturday morning as per announcement in last week's Tribune. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Perry left by auto for Dallas. They will visit friends and relatives in the state before their return from their honeymoon trip.—Strawn Tribune.

The gentleman referred to above is a brother of the Perry "boys" of this city and is also a printer. He and his wife have many relatives in Carlsbad to wish them well, and that they may have smooth sailing over the sometimes tempestuous Sea of Life.

FAST GROWING SPUDS

Gran Quivira man delivered a lot of nice appearing spuds to a local merchant recently, which he had grown on his farm south of Mountainair. After the merchant had retailed the potatoes to his customers, he met the farmer and asked him how it came that the potatoes in the top of the basket were so much larger than those in the bottom. The farmer declared that the darn things were growing so fast since the rains had come that by the time he had dug enough spuds to fill the baskets, those dug last had reached double the size of those dug first.—Mountainair Independent.

John Neveger and family spent Sunday at the ranch of J. E. Stephens, adjoining the Tule ranch on the Plains. Mr. Stephens has been very ill and is still in a critical condition from some phase of heart trouble.

M. N. Cunningham left this week for the Plains country, with a load of honey, for which he finds a ready sale. He expects to return the last of this week.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL LEVY, FOR YEAR 1922, FOR PECOS WATER USERS' ASSOCIATION

Resolved, That the estimate and probable cost of salaries, and other office expenses amounting to \$25,000 and balance on note amounting to \$5,000.00, less accruals, \$3,899.56, balance not covered \$3,600.44, at 25c. per acre based upon the present acreage subscribed in this association.

Whereas, The Secretary of the Interior by public notice dated Feb. 15, 1922, has levied upon each acre of irrigable land, whether irrigated or not, the sum of \$1.55 per acre which will permit the delivery of not more than two acre feet of water per acre; and for further quantities 75c. per acre-foot. An additional charge of 15c. an acre-foot will be made for water used in the winter season beginning at the close of the irrigation season and ending March 10, which water would otherwise waste over the spillways at Lake Avalon.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the sum of \$1.55 be levied against each share of capital stock of said association, and a like sum of \$1.55 be levied against each acre of land held in trust by said association for the first two acre feet of water whether used or not, by each shareholder in said association for each acre of land, and for further quantities 75c. per acre-foot. An additional charge of 15c. an acre-foot will be made for water used in the winter season beginning at the close of the irrigation season and ending March 10, which water would otherwise waste over the spillways at Lake Avalon. This levy to be for maintenance; to meet the charges levied by the Secretary of the Interior of the United States against the lands admitted to water under the Carlsbad Project which have complied with the requirements of the Reclamation Extension Act, and for those not accepting such act, a sum equal to the public notice affecting the same.

Be It Further Resolved, That there is hereby levied against each and every share of the capital stock of the Pecos Water Users' Association an assessment of 25c per share and a like sum of 25c per share against each acre of land held in trust by said association to meet the necessary expenses, etc., of said association.

Be It Further Resolved, That there is hereby levied against each share of the capital stock of the Pecos Water Users' Association an assessment equal to 5 per cent of the balance due upon each share of capital stock in said association at the time of filing acceptance of the Reclamation Extension Act. A like sum of 5 per cent of said balance due against each acre of land held in trust by said association to pay the annual building charge as fixed by the Secretary of the Interior for all lands which have accepted the terms of the Reclamation Extension Act.

Be It Further Resolved, That there is hereby levied a sum equal to the amount fixed by the Secretary of the Interior against each share of stock and against each acre of land held in trust by said association which have not complied with the Reclamation Extension Act and which are subject to payment under prior public notices as a building charge.

It Is Now, Therefore, Ordered that these levies be made against the owners of all shares of capital stock of this association and against each acre of land held in trust by said association and that the same be and hereby are declared to be a lien against the stock and against the land appurtenant thereto and against the owners thereof and

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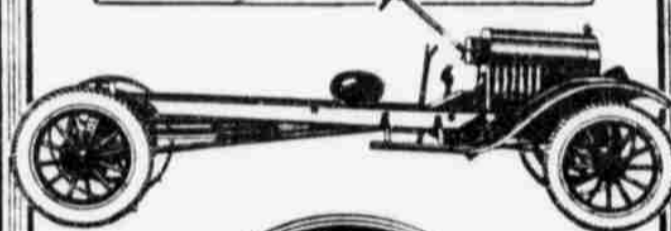
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against the land held in trust by said association, and that the Treasurer of the Pecos Water Users' Association be and is hereby directed to do any and all things necessary to the collection of these assessments, including legal publication of these re-

solutions.
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J. F. Flowers set a mouse trap in his store Monday night and on Tuesday morning seeing that the trap was sprung, he carried it out to the front door to empty it, when out reaching the sidewalk he discovered a very large vinegaroon making a feast on the mouse. Whether mouse is a favorite menu of that insect is not known and there is no way of finding out, but the vinegaroon seemed attached to the mouse at any rate, and fortunately Mr. Flowers was not bitten by the poisonous bug.

Carlsbad band is soon going to have a drummer in the person of the six-year-old son of the director of the musical organization. At the meeting for practice last Monday, Arthur beat the drum with only a mistake or two, and those were occasioned by not watching his father's movements. His time is good and his father is looking forward to the time when he can take his place with the other members of the band which Arthur greatly desires.

Henry Bock is nursing a broken collar bone caused by some dirt and cement falling on him while he was down in an excavation at work.

Dewey Harrison, the city telegraph operator for the Western Union, has a bad hand caused by endeavoring to catch hold of a falling water tank in use at the office. The hand was so badly lacerated by the top of the bottle that three stitches were required to close the wound on the top of the hand, while cuts between the fingers are also numerous and painful.

Mrs. D. M. Ray, of Hot Springs, Arkansas, is in town, being called here by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Montgomery. It is pleasing to announce in this connection that Mrs. Montgomery, in whom all Carlsbad felt an interest, is recovering from her illness in a remarkable manner, better than was dared to hope for, and hopes are entertained that she will soon be entirely convalescent and able to return to her home.

A joint celebration was held at the Oscar Mercer home west of the city last night, the parties honored being Mr. Mercer and Mrs. A. Moore. The surprise part was a failure, but the attendance of friends of both parties was large, and a happy time resulted with heartiest good wishes for many pleasant returns of the day to the honored guests. The lawn in front of the house was lighted, long tables were spread filled with everything good to supply the desires of the inner man. Among other good things was a cake sent from California which was pronounced as good as it was good looking. After the feasting was concluded an hour was spent in social conversation and recalling old times. We have been requested to publish the names of those present who were: H. E. Fisher, wife and son, M. L. Davis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stockwell and daughter, J. Floyd Hart, wife and daughter, H. D. Hubbard and family, C. L. Grant and family, N. T. Daugherty, wife and granddaughter, C. C. Vaughn and family, Ray Soladay and family, Mesdames Mercer, Whitney, Patton and Dillard, F. G. Snow and daughter, Alonzo Maddux, Henry Brown, William Mercer, Alta Angel, Henry and Roy Brown and Amelia Mays, and the two honor guests, Mr. Mercer and Mrs. Moore.

Mrs. Lynch, an aged lady, was brought in from the vicinity of Lovington the middle of the week, suffering from a stroke of paralysis, and is at the Rightway Hotel, being cared for by a relative, Mrs. Halliwell. Mrs. Lynch's husband died two weeks ago from a paralytic stroke.

Miss Elizabeth Ellen Hoag, daughter of Mrs. Lizzie Hoag, of Carlsbad, New Mexico, has registered in William Woods College as a second year Junior College student. Miss Hoag attended William Woods last year and was very popular with all her class mates. She was a member of the Glee Club.

Dr. W. C. Doss, state veterinarian, returned to his home in Artesia, Monday night after spending some time in the city, on business connected with his profession.

Mrs. J. D. Hudgins spent Sunday with friends in Roswell, returning to her home Monday afternoon.

Miss Frankie Howell who has been visiting with friends in New York and later in Ohio, since the first week in July, returned to Carlsbad Tuesday on the afternoon train.

Fred Leck, who ranches near Kermit, Tex., came in Monday from the ranch and has spent the week with his family in town. He says conditions in that vicinity are much the same as in other places, very dry.

J. F. Rarey returned to Carlsbad Tuesday from De Graff, Kansas, where he had been in charge of a small bunch of large steers, belonging to Sam B. Smith, which were put on pasture at that place.

Mrs. Harman, relief operator for the Western Union, is taking the place of Dewey Harrison, regular operator at the city office while the latter is taking his vacation.

Lieutenant Will Miller has accepted a position with the El Paso Mining and Smelter Company, as traveling salesman for their goods, and will have his headquarters at El Paso. He will begin work about the first of October; Mrs. Miller will likely remain in Carlsbad for the present.

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. T. C. Mahan preached to the Baptist congregation at Hagerman last Sunday.

Boone Kindel, automobile mechanic, is working in the E. H. Weaver garage, beginning there the first of this month.

Arthur Renick went up to Roswell Saturday night and returned in a new Studebaker Six, which he is demonstrating this week.

Billy and J. D. Merchant left Saturday night for Trinity College at Hartford, Connecticut, where they will attend for their second year's instruction.

Heavy rains fell the first of the week at Hope, the downpour lasting for over three hours. It is said that the rain covered a radius of 20 miles south and east of the city.

Engineers are now at work at Hope surveying the site for the new water and light plant which is to be built at once. A deep well will be drilled to furnish the water supply.

Wiley Jones and family of Wichita Falls, Texas, are in town and have been for some days, attending the sick bed of Mr. Jones' father who died Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wigdon, of Houston, are visiting in Carlsbad the latter part of the week to the great joy of the mother and brothers of the lady, Mrs. Higgins, and sons.

Lovington and surrounding country was visited by a very refreshing rain last week, which was much appreciated by all. Prospects are said to be good for some more of the same kind in the near future.

The Spanish-American citizens celebrated Saturday with their usual success, by speeches following a parade, in which most of the residents of San Jose and vicinity participated. A grand ball in the evening brought the festivities to a close.

Tom Herbert and Emil Riley came down from the upper valley Monday and remained until Tuesday before returning. Emil, who is a son of M. E. Riley of this place, has been working for some time with a firm of plumbing contractors in Fortales.



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Preaching services at 11:00 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. Morning theme, "The Soul Winning Sunday School". The evening subject will be "How I May Know I Am A Christian?" If you have any sort of doubt concerning your relationship to Christ come along.

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 P. M. Interest is growing, bring your sweet-heart to these services.

Follow the crowd and come to the Baptist church. A get-together meeting at the church Friday night. Let's be sociable and meet each other. Bring the babies and come on.

NOTICE

The Carlsbad Game Association offers a reward of \$50.00 for the apprehension and conviction of any person violating any law relative to the killing of quail, before the season opens.

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THE ALBUQUERQUE HERALD is an independent newspaper. It is ruled by no party or political group. It believes this to be the time for independent thinking in New Mexico.

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Every voter in New Mexico will want to read this series of articles. Every voter should read the articles because they will contain information that the voter should have before deciding on the candidates for whom he or she will vote. It is a requisite of good citizenship to know the facts about candidates. The ALBUQUERQUE HERALD will help you to know the facts.

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Miss Inez Jones, deputy county clerk, who has been taking her annual vacation, returned from the north Saturday afternoon. She spent a part of the time in Omaha, Nebraska, and points near there where she lived before coming to Carlsbad some years ago.

Geo. W. Hartley left Sunday morning, having a load of freight for Mr. Todd, at El Paso Gap. Mr. Todd is running the store at that place.

MEXICAN METHODIST CHURCH
DORSEY MEWBORN, Pastor.
The following services are planned for next Sunday:
2:30 P. M. Bible school. Mr. Jones, Supt.
3:15 P. M. Sermon by pastor.
7:30 P. M. Sermon.
All are invited to worship with us.

Mrs. Keen Barr and little daughter, Grace Ellen, came in Saturday from their home at Albuquerque, being called here by the critical illness of Mrs. A. C. Geor, the mother of Mrs. Barr.

Mrs. M. N. Stewart, of Post City, Texas, a sister of Mrs. Farria, who has spent some time in Carlsbad for medical treatment, returned to her home Saturday night.

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